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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2018

FIFTY-FOURTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

CALL TO ORDER

The Senate met at 8:30 a.m., and was called to order by Mr. Speaker McNally.

PRAYER

The proceedings were opened with prayer by Rabbi H. Michael Weiner of Shomair Yisrael Messianic Synagogue in Knoxville, Tennessee, a guest of Mr. Speaker McNally.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Senator Briggs led the Senate in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag.

SALUTE TO THE FLAG OF TENNESSEE

Senator Briggs led the Senate in the Salute to the Flag of Tennessee.

ROLL CALL

The roll call was taken with the following results:

Present 30

Senators present were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--30.

COMMUNICATIONS

February 22, 2018

Lt. Governor Randy McNally
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Dear Speaker McNally:

Please be advised that due to a slow recovery from bronchitis and the flu, I will not be present for Session on Thursday, February 22, 2018. I expect a full recovery by Monday.

Sincerely,

/s/ Sara Kyle

APPROVED: Lieutenant Governor
Randy McNally

February 26, 2018

Lieutenant Governor Randy McNally
425 5th Avenue North
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Dear Lieutenant Governor McNally:

Please excuse my absence last week (Monday, February 19, 2018, – Thursday, February 22, 2018). I am requesting this excused absence due to a medical operation that required me to rest at home.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Best regards,

/s/ Steve Southerland

APPROVED: Lieutenant Governor
Randy McNally

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

ENERGY, AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Energy, Agriculture and Natural Resources begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bill No. 2217 with amendment.

SOUTHERLAND, Chairperson
February 15, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 2217 with amendment to the Committee on Calendar.

FINANCE, WAYS AND MEANS

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Finance, Ways and Means begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 574 and 1647.

WATSON, Chairperson
February 20, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 574 and 1647 to the Committee on Calendar.

STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on State and Local Government begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1810, 2079, 2497, 2521 and 2523; and Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 543 and 551.

YAGER, Chairperson
February 20, 2018

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The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1810, 2079, 2497, 2521 and 2523; and Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 543 and 551 to the Committee on Calendar.

COMMERCE AND LABOR

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Commerce and Labor begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1515 with amendment, 1646 with amendment, 1662 with amendment, 1862, 1913 with amendment, 1922 with amendment, 1942, 1973 with amendment, 2157, 2243, 2306 with amendment, 2471 and 2530; also, recommend that Senate Bill No. 1926 be referred to Committee on Health and Welfare; Senate Bill No. 2056 be referred to Committee on State and Local Government; and Senate Bill No. 2250 with amendment be referred to Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

JOHNSON, Chairperson
February 20, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1515 with amendment, 1646 with amendment, 1662 with amendment, 1862, 1913 with amendment, 1922 with amendment, 1942, 1973 with amendment, 2157, 2243, 2306 with amendment, 2471 and 2530 to the Committee on Calendar.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 1926 to the Committee on Health and Welfare.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 2056 with amendment to the Committee on State and Local Government.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 2250 with amendment to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

JUDICIARY

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 949 with amendment, 2118 and 2370; and Senate Resolutions Nos. 163, 165, 166 and 167; also, recommend that Senate Bills Nos. 1499 and 2000 be referred to Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

KELSEY, Chairperson
February 20, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 949 with amendment, 2118 and 2370; and Senate Resolutions Nos. 163, 165, 166 and 167 to the Committee on Calendar.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1499 and 2000 to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Government Operations begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1553 with amendment,

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1563, 1565, 1568 and 1570; also, recommend that Senate Bill No. 1908 be referred to State and Local Government.

BELL, Chairperson
February 21, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1553 with amendment, 1563, 1565, 1568 and 1570 to the Committee on Calendar.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 1908 to the Committee on State and Local Government.

JUDICIARY

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Judiciary begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1775, 1796 with amendment and 2505; also, recommend that Senate Bill No. 1717 with amendment be referred to Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

KELSEY, Chairperson
February 21, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1775, 1796 with amendment and 2505 to the Committee on Calendar.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 1717 with amendment to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

TRANSPORTATION AND SAFETY

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Transportation and Safety begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1694 with amendment, 1742, 2253 and 2255.

BAILEY, Chairperson
February 21, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1694 with amendment, 1742, 2253 and 2255 to the Committee on Calendar.

HEALTH AND WELFARE

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Health and Welfare begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 883 with amendment, 1487 with amendment, 1757, 1800 with amendment, 1802 and 1949 with amendment.

CROWE, Chairperson
February 21, 2018

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The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 883 with amendment, 1487 with amendment, 1757, 1800 with amendment, 1802 and 1949 with amendment to the Committee on Calendar.

EDUCATION

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Education begs leave to report that we have carefully considered and recommend for passage: Senate Bills Nos. 1805 with amendment, 1899 with amendment, 1925, 2011 with amendment, 2012, 2013 with amendment, 2015, 2017 with amendment, 2101 with amendment, 2193 with amendment and 2209; also, recommend that Senate Bill No. 2014 be referred to Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

GRESHAM, Chairperson
February 21, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bills Nos. 1805 with amendment, 1899 with amendment, 1925, 2011 with amendment, 2012, 2013 with amendment, 2015, 2017 with amendment, 2101 with amendment, 2193 with amendment and 2209 to the Committee on Calendar.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Bill No. 2014 to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means.

PRESENTATION

Senator Kelsey presented **Senate Joint Resolution No. 541** to members of the City of Germantown.

MOTION

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 33 and Article II, Section 18 of the Constitution of the State of Tennessee, that **Senate Bills Nos. 2725 and 2726** be passed on second consideration and be referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

SENATE BILLS ON SECOND CONSIDERATION

The Speaker announced the following bills passed second consideration and were referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk:

Senate Bill No. 2725 Local bill -- held on desk.

Senate Bill No. 2726 Local bill -- held on desk.

MOTION

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 21, **Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 611 through 618**; and **Senate Resolutions Nos. 168 through 171** be passed on first consideration and lie over, which motion prevailed.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS

The Speaker announced the following resolutions were filed for introduction. Pursuant to Rule 21, the resolutions lie over.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 611 by Senator Yager.

Constitutional Amendments -- Proposes amendment to Article VI, Section 5 to provide for the selection of the attorney general and reporter for the state with nomination by the supreme court and confirmation by the general assembly.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 612 by Senator Bowling.

Memorials, Public Service -- Mark Gwyn, Director of TBI.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 613 by Senator Gresham.

Memorials, Personal Occasion -- Troy and Mary Lee Frye, 70th Wedding Anniversary.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 614 by Senator Gresham.

Memorials, Death -- Patricia L. Maxedon.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 615 by Senator Massey.

Memorials, Public Service -- Congratulates Department of Children's Services upon successful conclusion of Brian A. lawsuit.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 616 by Senator Massey.

Memorials, Sports -- Bearden High School Dance Team.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 617 by Senator Yarbro.

Memorials, Recognition -- Nashville Public Library, 2017 Library of the Year Award.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 618 by Senator Pody.

Memorials, Death -- Reverend Billy Graham.

Senate Resolution No. 168 by Senator Harris.

Memorials, Recognition -- Cynthia Daniels, Memphis Black Restaurant Week.

Senate Resolution No. 169 by Senator Harris.

Memorials, Recognition -- Dr. James G. Gurney.

Senate Resolution No. 170 by Senator Ketron.

Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Mark McCluskey, MFRD Battalion Chief.

Senate Resolution No. 171 by Senator Bowling.

Memorials, Recognition -- Randa Miner, 2017 Tree Farmer of the Year.

MOTION

Senator Norris moved, pursuant to Rule 21, **House Joint Resolutions Nos. 770 through 777 and 791**; and **Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 599 through 610** lie over and be referred to the appropriate committees or held on the Clerk's desk, which motion prevailed.

RESOLUTIONS LYING OVER

The Speaker announced the following resolutions passed second consideration and were referred to the appropriate committees or held on the desk, pursuant to Rule 21:

House Joint Resolution No. 770 -- Memorials, Sports -- Tennessee Soccer Club U18 girls' team, USYSA National Champions.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 770 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 771 -- Memorials, Personal Occasion -- Margarete Traywicks Hayes, 90th Birthday.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 771 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 772 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Dr. Bill Henry and Dr. Jeff Foster, Vision Source of Newport.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 772 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 773 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Sergeant Mathew Scott Cousins, Bristol Tennessee Police Department.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 773 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 774 -- Memorials, Death -- Robert Garland Lankford.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 774 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 775 -- Memorials, Sports -- William Healy, FCS Coach of the Year.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 775 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 776 -- Memorials, Death -- Herbert Q. Groce.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 776 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 777 -- Memorials, Death -- James Esker Terry, Jr.

The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 777 to the Committee on Calendar.

House Joint Resolution No. 791 -- Memorials, Retirement -- Judge George Logan Lovell.

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The Speaker announced that he had referred House Joint Resolution No. 791 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 599 -- Memorials, Public Service -- Barbara Brake.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 599 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 600 -- Memorials, Recognition -- David Collins, 2017-2018 LifeChanger of the Year nominee.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 600 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 601 -- Memorials, Recognition -- James R. Morrison, Jr., Supreme Tall Cedar of the Tall Cedars of Lebanon of North America.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 601 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 602 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position -- Encourages Tennessee to adopt a statewide, honorary Work Ethic Diploma.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 602 to the Committee on Education.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 603 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Mountain Dew.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 603 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 604 -- Naming and Designating -- Names the visitor center at Tipton-Haynes Historic Site in honor of Penny McLaughlin.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 604 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 605 -- Memorials, Death -- David Wayne Sherrell.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 605 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 606 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Deborah Denise Oakley.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 606 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 607 -- Memorials, Recognition -- New Olivet Baptist Church.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 607 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 608 -- Memorials, Retirement -- Sgt. Rick Harmon.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 608 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 609 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Robert Boggs, VBI Peter J. Salmon Award.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 609 to the Committee on Calendar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 610 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Robert Hayworth, VBI Milton J. Samuelson Career Achievement Award.

The Speaker announced that he had referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 610 to the Committee on Calendar.

MOTION

Senator Pody moved that Rule 37 be suspended for the immediate consideration of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 618**, out of order, which motion prevailed.

RESOLUTION LYING OVER

Senate Joint Resolution No. 618 -- Memorials, Death -- Reverend Billy Graham.

On motion of Senator Pody, the rules were suspended for the immediate consideration of the resolution.

On motion, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 618** was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes	30
Noes	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally--30.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 1

Senate Joint Resolution No. 596 -- Memorials, Recognition -- First Lieutenant William McBryar.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 597 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Tennessee Work Ethic Diploma program.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 598 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Ron Becker, 2018 Sumner County Principal of the Year.

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House Joint Resolution No. 764 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Haley Lee, Jefferson County Teacher of the Year, Grades Pre-K-4.

House Joint Resolution No. 765 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Michele Parks, Jefferson County Teacher of the Year, Grades 5-8.

House Joint Resolution No. 766 -- Memorials, Professional Achievement -- Chip Watkins, Jefferson County Teacher of the Year, Grades 9-12.

House Joint Resolution No. 767 -- Memorials, Recognition -- PurSolutions LLC, National Science Foundation grant recipient.

House Joint Resolution No. 768 -- Memorials, Recognition -- 2018 World's Biggest Fish Fry Princess Court.

House Joint Resolution No. 769 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Monty's Barber Shop, 5th Anniversary.

Senator Roberts moved that all Senate Joint Resolutions be adopted; and all House Joint Resolutions be concurred in, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	30
Noes	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally--30.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION

Senator Roberts moved that **Senate Bill No. 1716** be rereferred to the Committee on Calendar, which motion prevailed.

CONSENT CALENDAR NO. 2

Senate Bill No. 1513 -- Libraries -- As introduced, renames the regional library for the blind and physically handicapped to the regional library for accessible books and media; updates antiquated language regarding persons with disabilities within statutory provisions relative to the state library system. Amends TCA Title 10, Chapter 1, Part 1.

On motion, Senate Bill No. 1513 was made to conform with **House Bill No. 1702**.

On motion, House Bill No. 1702, on same subject, was substituted for Senate Bill No. 1513.

Senate Bill No. 1530 -- Sunset Laws -- As introduced, extends the department of human services for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3.

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Senate Bill No. 1538 -- Sunset Laws -- As introduced, extends the health services and development agency for three years to June 30, 2021. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 68, Chapter 11, Part 16.

Senate Bill No. 1552 -- Sunset Laws -- As introduced, extends the state board of cosmetology and barber examiners for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29; Title 62, Chapter 3 and Title 62, Chapter 4.

Senate Bill No. 1560 -- Sunset Laws -- As introduced, extends the Tennessee film, entertainment and music commission for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29 and Title 4, Chapter 3, Part 50.

Senate Bill No. 1564 -- Sunset Laws -- As introduced, extends the Tennessee rehabilitative initiative in correction board for four years to June 30, 2022. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 41, Chapter 22, Part 4.

Senate Bill No. 1569 -- Sunset Laws -- As introduced, creates sunrise provision for newly adopted physical therapy licensure compact, to terminate June 30, 2020. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 63, Chapter 13, Part 4.

Senate Bill No. 1588 -- Special License Plates -- As introduced, makes any person licensed as an amateur radio operator eligible to purchase an amateur radio special license plate, rather than allowing only certain persons to purchase such plates. Amends TCA Title 6, Chapter 54, Part 1 and Title 55, Chapter 4, Part 2.

Senate Bill No. 1647 -- Pensions and Retirement Benefits -- As introduced, requires that certain pension stabilization reserve trusts for state employees and teachers be used exclusively for participants and beneficiaries of the retirement plans; makes other related revisions. Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 10; Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 11 and Title 9, Chapter 4, Part 12.

Senate Bill No. 1721 -- Driver Licenses -- As introduced, permits a stay of driver license revocation for nonpayment of fines and costs for more than the current 180 days if the applicant for the stay is a participant in a recovery court. Amends TCA Section 40-24-105.

Senate Bill No. 1731 -- Sunset Laws -- As introduced, terminates the investment advisory council with no subsequent wind down period. Amends TCA Title 4, Chapter 29, Part 2 and Title 8, Chapter 37.

Senate Bill No. 1774 -- Pharmacy, Pharmacists -- As introduced, specifies that a medication therapy management program involves "pharmacist-provided" services. Amends TCA Title 63, Chapter 10.

Senate Bill No. 1777 -- Senior Citizens -- As introduced, requires the commission on aging and disabilities to design and oversee a resource mapping of federal, state, and nongovernmental resources and funding streams that support the health, safety, and welfare of persons 60 years of age or older. Amends TCA Title 71, Chapter 2.

Senate Bill No. 1804 -- Teachers, Principals and School Personnel -- As introduced, exempts certain supervisors, principals, and public school teachers from having to take an assessment to advance or renew a teaching license under certain circumstances. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 1 and Title 49, Chapter 5.

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Senate Bill No. 1870 -- Remedies and Special Proceedings -- As introduced, allows a cause of action for any affected person who seeks declaratory and injunctive relief in any action brought regarding the legality or constitutionality of a governmental action, but such action does not include damages. Amends TCA Title 1, Chapter 3.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 506 -- Naming and Designating -- Designates October 2018 as "Eczema Awareness Month" in Tennessee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 520 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position -- Urges the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) to continue 340B drug discount program funding at current levels and immediately address the Medicare Wage Index rate in East Tennessee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 544 -- General Assembly, Confirmation of Appointment -- William A. "Bill" Young, Claims Commission.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 562 -- Memorials, Recognition -- October 15, 2018, "SIDS and Sleep Related Infant Death Awareness and Remembrance Day" in Tennessee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 563 -- Naming and Designating -- Designates the week of May 13-19, 2018, as "Police Week" and May 15, 2018, as "Peace Officers Memorial Day" in Tennessee.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 564 -- Naming and Designating -- "Child Abuse Prevention Month," April 2018.

Senate Resolution No. 150 -- General Assembly, Statement of Intent or Position -- Urges the Department of Education to include ACT/SAT participation rates for each LEA on the annual report card.

House Joint Resolution No. 649 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Self-Care Month, February 2018.

House Joint Resolution No. 711 -- Memorials, Recognition -- Amyloidosis Awareness Month, March 2018.

Senator Roberts moved that all Senate Joint Resolutions and Senate Resolutions be adopted; all House Joint Resolutions be concurred in; and all Senate Bills and House Bills be passed on third and final consideration, which motion prevailed by the following vote:

Ayes	30
Noes	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally--30.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION

Senator Norris moved that **Senate Bill No. 2217** be considered next, out of order, which motion prevailed.

CALENDAR

Senate Bill No. 2217 -- Water Pollution -- As introduced, repeals the provisions of Chapter 293 of the Public Acts of 2017 that would eliminate the department of environment and conservation's concentrated animal feeding operations (CAFO) operating permit program on March 1, 2018; creates a new operating permit program that is mandatory for certain animal feeding operations that use a liquid waste management system and optional for other animal feeding operations; and makes other changes concerning NPDES permits. Amends TCA Title 69, Chapter 3, Part 1 and Chapter 293 of the Public Acts of 2017.

Senator Niceley moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting the language "a medium concentrated animal feeding operation or" from Section 2, subdivision (7)(A) in Section 2.

On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Senator Gresham moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 2

AMEND by deleting the following language from Section 4 in Section 3:

() "Animal feeding operation" has the same meaning as defined by the United States environmental protection agency;

and substituting instead the following:

() "Animal feeding operation" means a lot or facility, other than an aquatic animal production facility, where the following conditions are met:

(A) Animals, other than aquatic animals, have been, are, or will be stabled or confined and fed or maintained for a total of forty-five (45) days or more in any twelve-month period; and

(B) Crops, vegetation, forage growth, or post-harvest residues are not sustained in the normal growing season over any portion of the lot or facility;

On motion, Amendment No. 2 was adopted.

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 2217**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes 29
Noes 0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--29.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 494 -- Constitutional Amendments -- Proposes additional language in Article II, Section 28 to prohibit the general assembly from levying or permitting any state or local tax upon income derived from stocks and bonds that are not taxed ad valorem.

Senator Gardenhire declared Rule 13 on **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

Senator Dickerson declared Rule 13 on **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

Senator Norris declared Rule 13 on **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

Senator Bailey declared Rule 13 on **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

Senator Briggs declared Rule 13 on **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

Senator Haile declared Rule 13 on **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

Senator Green declared Rule 13 on **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

Senator Kelsey moved that the Clerk read the resolution, which motion prevailed.

The Clerk read the resolution, for the third time.

Thereupon, Mr. Speaker McNally declared pursuant to Article XI, Section 3, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494** had been read, for the third time.

Thereupon, **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494** was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes 26
Noes 3

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager and Mr. Speaker McNally--26.

Senators voting no were: Harper, Harris and Yarbro--3.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senate Bill No. 123 -- Tobacco, Tobacco Products -- As introduced, authorizes Knox County and Knoxville to prohibit, by local ordinance, smoking on the grounds of any playground owned or operated by the local government. Amends TCA Title 39, Chapter 17.

Senator Johnson moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1551, is amended by adding the following as a new subsection:

(e)(1) Notwithstanding subsection (a) or any other provision of this title, a local government is authorized by ordinance to prohibit smoking on the grounds of a playground owned or operated by such local government.

(2) Subdivision (e)(1) applies only in counties with a population of not less than four hundred thirty-two thousand two hundred (432,200) nor more than four hundred thirty-two thousand three hundred (432,300), according to the 2010 federal census or any subsequent federal census, and in any municipalities within such counties.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 123**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes	28
Noes	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally--28.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senator Gresham moved that **Senate Bill No. 574** be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, March 1, 2018, which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 1474 -- Motor Vehicles, Titling and Registration -- As introduced, creates a "5th Special Forces Group (Airborne)" military license plate for issuance to current or former members of the unit and spouses or children of such members. Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

Senator Bailey moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting Section 5 and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.

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On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 1474**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes 28
Noes 0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--28.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senate Bill No. 1504 -- Criminal Procedure -- As introduced, authorizes general sessions and criminal court judges statewide to suspend court costs and litigation tax for indigent defendants; authorizes court clerk to implement community service program in lieu of full payment of court costs and litigation taxes for indigent defendants. Amends TCA Section 8-21-401; Title 40, Chapter 25 and Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 6.

On motion, Senate Bill No. 1504 was made to conform with **House Bill No. 1479**.

On motion, House Bill No. 1479, on same subject, was substituted for Senate Bill No. 1504.

On motion of Senator Kelsey, Amendment No. 1 was withdrawn.

Thereupon, **House Bill No. 1479** passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes 27
Noes 0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbro and Mr. Speaker McNally--27.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senator Massey moved that **Senate Bill No. 1510** be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, March 1, 2018, which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 1514 -- Education, Higher -- As introduced, requires the board of regents, each state university board, and the board of trustees of the University of Tennessee to adopt policies allowing American sign language courses to satisfy foreign language requirements for undergraduate degree programs by July 1, 2019. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

Senator Gresham moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 8, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

By July 1, 2019, each state institution of higher education operated by the board of regents and each state university shall adopt a policy to allow American sign language courses to satisfy any foreign language requirements for admission to an undergraduate degree program.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 9, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

By July 1, 2019, each institution operated by the University of Tennessee shall adopt a policy to allow American sign language courses to satisfy any foreign language requirements for admission to an undergraduate degree program.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 1514**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes	28
Noes	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally --28.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Mr. Speaker McNally moved that **Senate Bill No. 1645** be placed at the heel of the Calendar for today, which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 1665 -- Education, Higher -- As introduced, changes, from September 15 to September 30, the date by which each public institution of higher education operating a hearing center must provide a report of the number of patients served, patient hours, hearing aids dispensed to patients, and revenues from operations to the Tennessee higher education commission and the education committees of the general assembly. Amends TCA Title 49, Chapter 11; Title 49, Chapter 7; Title 49, Chapter 8 and Title 49, Chapter 9.

Senator Gresham moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following language:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 49, Chapter 7, is amended by adding the following language as a new part:

49-7-1601.

This part shall be known and may be cited as the "Tuition Transparency and Accountability Act."

49-7-1602.

As used in this part:

(1) "Board" means the trustees of the University of Tennessee or a state university board, as applicable;

(2) "Cost of attendance" means the combined cost of tuition, mandatory fees, room and board, books, and other educational expenses as determined by the financial aid office of the postsecondary institution;

(3) "Predictive cost estimate" means a non-binding estimated cost of attending an undergraduate program at the postsecondary institution based on a student's chosen field of study over a four-year period. A predictive cost estimate may include, but is not limited to, potential tuition and mandatory fee increases, projected increases in tuition based on a student's chosen field of study, and historical trend data; and

(4) "Tuition and mandatory fees" means the charges imposed to attend the relevant institution of higher education as an in-state undergraduate student and all fees required as a condition of enrollment as determined by the board. "Tuition and mandatory fees" does not include fees charged to out-of-state students by institutions of higher education, room and board, or other non-mandatory fees and charges.

49-7-1603.

(a) At least fifteen (15) days prior to holding a meeting to adopt an increase in tuition and mandatory fees, a board shall give public notice of the proposed tuition and mandatory fee increase as an action item on the board's meeting agenda. Individuals shall be permitted to provide comments during the fifteen-day period. The public notice of the proposed tuition and mandatory fee increase shall, at a minimum, include:

(1) An explanation for the proposed tuition and mandatory fee increase;

(2) A statement specifying the purposes for which revenue derived from the tuition and mandatory fee increase will be used; and

(3) A description of the efforts to mitigate the effect of the tuition and mandatory fee increase on students.

(b)(1) By January 1, 2019, each board shall develop a list of factors that shall be considered when developing recommendations to increase tuition and mandatory fees. The factors shall include, at a minimum, the level of state support; total cost of attendance; and efforts to mitigate the financial effect on students.

(2) Each state university and each campus in the University of Tennessee system shall post on its website a summary of the recommendations pursuant to subdivision (b)(1).

49-7-1604.

By February 1 of each year, each governing board shall provide a report to the office of legislative budget analysis, for distribution to the general assembly, with information regarding expenditures of revenues derived from any tuition and fees increase in the previous full academic year. The report shall include how revenues were used, the effect on student financial aid, and the effect on the average total cost of attendance per student.

49-7-1605.

Beginning August 1, 2019, each state university and each campus in the University of Tennessee system shall provide, with a student's letter of acceptance, a predictive cost estimate for students applying for undergraduate degree programs for the 2020-2021 academic year and for academic years thereafter.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2018, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 1665**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes	28
Noes	0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally --28.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senate Bill No. 2071 -- Hospitals and Health Care Facilities -- As introduced, requires the department of health to recognize ST-elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI) receiving and STEMI referring hospitals; requires ambulance services to develop and implement a protocol for transporting STEMI patients to STEMI receiving hospitals; encourages cooperation between STEMI receiving and STEMI referring hospitals. Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 11 and Title 68, Chapter 140.

Senator Crowe moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 68, Chapter 140, Part 3, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

(a) The department shall recognize hospitals that meet the criteria of a ST-elevation myocardial infarction (STEMI) receiving center or STEMI referring center. Such recognition is limited to inclusion on a list, maintained by the department, of STEMI receiving centers and STEMI referring centers. The list shall be published on the department's division of emergency medical services' website.

(b) The department may recognize certification or accreditation from a department-approved nationally recognized certifying or accrediting organization, as sufficient to recognize a hospital as a STEMI receiving center or a STEMI referring center.

(c) To be recognized as a STEMI receiving center or a STEMI referring center by the department, a hospital must submit written notification to the board for licensing healthcare facilities and submit proof that the hospital meets the applicable criteria set forth by a department-approved nationally recognized certifying or accrediting organization.

(d) If a hospital loses its certification or accreditation, it shall notify the board for licensing healthcare facilities. The department must then remove the hospital from the department's list.

(e) Each ambulance service shall develop and implement pre-hospital care protocol plans related to the assessment, treatment, and transport of STEMI heart attack patients by licensed emergency medical services personnel. The protocol shall include plans for the triage and transport of STEMI heart attack patients to the closest STEMI receiving center, or, when appropriate, to a STEMI referring center, based on nationally recognized clinical practice guidelines. The emergency medical services board has the authority to promulgate rules to implement and enforce this section.

(f) STEMI receiving centers are encouraged to coordinate, through agreement, with STEMI referring centers throughout the state to provide appropriate access to care for acute heart attack patients.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 2071**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes 28
Noes 0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally --28.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senator Kelsey moved that **Senate Bill No. 2133** be placed on the Calendar for Thursday, March 1, 2018, which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 2690 -- Special License Plates -- As introduced, reorganizes special license plates statutes; narrows definition of "urban county" for purposes of allocating special license plate revenues; makes technical correction regarding issuance of military license plates. Amends TCA Section 4-20-301 and Title 55.

Senate Bill No. 2690 passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes 28
Noes 0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally --28.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

Senate Bill No. 1905 -- County Government -- As introduced, requires members of county legislative bodies, initially after election or appointment, to complete orientation training provided by the University of Tennessee's county technical advisory service (CTAS); requires the members to complete seven hours of annual continuing education training provided by CTAS; requires the comptroller of the treasury to post online the names of members and their status with respect to compliance with the training requirements. Amends TCA Title 5, Chapter 5.

Senator Yager moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting the last sentence of subdivision (a)(2) of Section 1 and substituting instead the following:

This subdivision (a)(2) does not apply to:

(A) A person appointed to fill a vacancy on a county legislative body until September 1 after the person's appointment; and

(B) An incumbent in office on the effective date of this act until the incumbent is separated from office for any reason and is subsequently elected or appointed to serve as a member of a county legislative body.

On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER McNALLY RELINQUISHES CHAIR

Mr. Speaker McNally relinquished the Chair to Senator Haile as Speaker pro tempore.

Senator Yager moved that **Senate Bill No. 1905**, as amended, be placed at the heel of the Calendar for today, which motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 1645 -- Courts, Juvenile -- As introduced, specifies that service of process in any juvenile court proceeding may be completed by a sheriff, constable, or private process server. Amends TCA Title 8, Chapter 8; Title 36 and Title 37.

Senator Kelsey moved to amend as follows:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

AMEND by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 36-1-117, is amended by adding the following new subdivision to subsection (m):

(4) Service of process for juvenile court proceedings may be completed by any individual authorized to serve process under the Rules of Civil Procedure or the Rules of Juvenile Procedure, including, but not limited to, a sheriff, constable, or private process server.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 37, Chapter 1, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

Service of process for juvenile court proceedings may be completed by any individual authorized to serve process under the Rules of Civil Procedure or the Rules of Juvenile Procedure, including, but not limited to, a sheriff, constable, or private process server.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

On motion, Amendment No. 1 was adopted.

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 1645**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes 28
Noes 0

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager and Yarbrow--28.

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A motion to reconsider was tabled.

FURTHER ACTION ON SENATE BILL NO. 1905, AS AMENDED

Thereupon, **Senate Bill No. 1905**, as amended, passed its third and final consideration by the following vote:

Ayes	22
Noes	4
Present, not voting . . .	1

Senators voting aye were: Bailey, Bowling, Briggs, Dickerson, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Ketron, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Stevens, Swann, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally--22.

Senators voting no were: Crowe, Gardenhire, Kelsey and Lundberg--4.

Senator present and not voting was: Roberts--1.

A motion to reconsider was tabled.

MOTION

Senator Norris moved the Proposed Schedule for the week of February 26, 2018, be adopted and made the action of the Senate, which motion prevailed.

**TENNESSEE STATE SENATE
110th GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

**PROPOSED SCHEDULE
FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 26, 2018**

MONDAY – February 26

4:00 p.m.

Session – Senate Chamber

TUESDAY – February 27

8:30 a.m.

Finance, Ways & Means Committee
(immediately following) Revenue Subcommittee

10:30 a.m.

State & Local Government Committee

12:30 p.m.

Lunch

1:00 p.m.

Commerce & Labor Committee

4:00 p.m.

Judiciary Committee

WEDNESDAY – February 28

8:30 a.m.

Government Operations Committee

10:00 a.m.

Judiciary Committee

11:00 a.m.

Transportation & Safety Committee

12:00 noon

Lunch

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12:30 p.m.	Health & Welfare Committee
2:30 p.m.	Education Committee

THURSDAY – March 1

8:30 a.m.	Session – Senate Chamber
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10:00 a.m.	Energy, Agriculture & Natural Resources Committee
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OTHER MEETINGS

Monday, February 26, 2018

- Joint Government Operations – Self Sufficiency Hearing, at 1:00 p.m., in House Hearing room III.
- Joint Government Operations – Rule Review, at 1:30 p.m., House Hearing room III.
- Council on Pensions and Insurance, at 2:00 p.m., House Hearing room III.

Tuesday, February 27, 2018

- Pre-Commerce Committee, at 7:30 a.m., Senate Hearing room II.

Wednesday, February 28, 2018

- Pre-Education Committee, at 7:30 a.m., 8th Floor Conference room C.

RECALL OF BILL

On motion of Speaker Pro Tempore Haile, **Senate Bill No. 2466** was recalled from the Committee on Commerce and Labor.

REFERRAL OF BILL

Speaker Pro Tempore Haile moved that Senate Bill No. 2466 be referred to the Committee on Health and Welfare, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

On motion of Senator Yarbrow, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 123, 1504, 1514 and 1665; and House Joint Resolution No. 767.**

On motion of Senator Bowling, her name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 244, 367, 1687, 1757, 1832, 1939, 2224, 2253, 2308 and 2701; and Senate Joint Resolution No. 521.**

On motion of Senator Gresham, her name was added as prime sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 247 and 536.**

On motion of Senator Tracy, his name was removed as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 247 and 536.**

On motion of Senator Norris, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 834 and 1865.**

On motion of Senator Bowling, her name was added as prime sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1299.**

On motion of Senator Watson, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1474.**

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On motion of Senator Briggs, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 1513 and 1949.**

On motion of Senator Harris, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 1720 and 1752.**

On motion of Senator Bailey, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1721; and House Joint Resolution No. 711.**

On motion of Senators Jackson and Massey, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Bill No. 1777.**

On motion of Senators Roberts and Harris, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Bill No. 1796.**

On motion of Senators Crowe, Harris, Jackson, Kelsey and Gardenhire, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Bill No. 1797.**

On motion of Senators Harris, Jackson, Kelsey and Gardenhire, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Bill No. 1798.**

On motion of Senator Bell, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1852.**

On motion of Senator Stevens, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bills Nos. 1870 and 2217.**

On motion of Senator Dickerson, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1884.**

On motion of Senator Kelsey, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1925; and Senate Resolution No. 158.**

On motion of Senator Ketron, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1935.**

On motion of Mr. Speaker McNally, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 1975.**

On motion of Senators Hensley, Jackson and Massey, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Bill No. 2071.**

On motion of Senator Briggs, his name was removed as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 2148.**

On motion of Senators Bowling and Jackson, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Bill No. 2332.**

On motion of Senator Hensley, his name was added as prime sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 2361.**

On motion of Senator Crowe, his name was removed as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 2361.**

On motion of Senators Hensley and Bell, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Bill No. 2494.**

On motion of Senator Bowling, her name was removed as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 2504.**

On motion of Senator Roberts, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill Nos. 2505 and 2517.**

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On motion of Senator Crowe, his name was added as sponsor of **Senate Bill No. 2646**.

On motion of Senators Briggs and Watson, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 494**.

On motion of Senators Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager, Yarbrow and Mr. Speaker McNally, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 562 and 564**.

On motion of Senators Bell, Briggs, Crowe, Dickerson, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Haile, Harper, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager and Yarbrow, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 563**.

On motion of Senators Dickerson, Haile, Yarbrow, Bailey, Bell, Bowling, Briggs, Crowe, Gardenhire, Green, Gresham, Harris, Hensley, Jackson, Johnson, Kelsey, Ketron, Lundberg, Massey, Niceley, Norris, Pody, Roberts, Stevens, Swann, Tate, Watson, Yager and Mr. Speaker McNally, their names were added as sponsors of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 596**.

On motion of Senator Massey, her name was added as sponsor of **Senate Joint Resolution No. 598**.

On motion of Senators Kelsey and Stevens, their names were added as sponsors of **House Joint Resolution No. 768**.

On motion of Senator Lundberg, his name was added as sponsor of **House Joint Resolutions Nos. 769 and 773**.

On motion of Senator Green, his name was added as sponsor of **House Joint Resolution No. 775**.

ENGROSSED BILLS

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully examined: Senate Bills Nos. 123, 1474, 1514, 1530, 1538, 1552, 1560, 1564, 1569, 1588, 1647, 1665, 1731, 1774, 1777, 1804, 1870, 1905, 2071 and 2690; and Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 506, 520, 562, 596, 597 and 598; and find same correctly engrossed and ready for transmission to the House.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,
Deputy Chief Clerk

ENGROSSED BILLS

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully examined: Senate Bills Nos. 1645, 1721 and 2217; and Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 544, 563, 564 and 618; and find same correctly engrossed and ready for transmission to the House.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,
Deputy Chief Clerk

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ENGROSSED BILLS

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully examined: Senate Joint Resolution No. 494, and find same correctly engrossed and ready for transmission to the House.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,
Deputy Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the Senate, House Bills Nos. 1503, 1515, 1517, 1527, 1552, 1576 and 1682; passed by the House.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the Senate, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 792, 793, 794, 795 and 799; adopted, for the Senate's action.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Bills Nos. 1482, 1518, 1520, 1523, 1548, 1555 and 1782; substituted for House Bills on same subjects and passed by the House.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Bills Nos. 1484, 1485, 1508, 1516, 1645, 1650, 1664, 1721 and 2217; substituted for House Bills on same subjects and passed by the House.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

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MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Joint Resolution No. 544, substituted for House Joint Resolution on same subject and passed by the House.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 566, 567, 568, 569, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590 and 591; concurred in by the House.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

ENROLLED BILLS

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have carefully compared Senate Bills Nos. 1484, 1485, 1508, 1516, 1650, 1664 and 2217; and Senate Joint Resolution No. 569; and find same correctly enrolled and ready for the signatures of the Speakers.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,
Deputy Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the Senate, House Bills Nos. 15 and 1536, for the signature of the Speaker.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 23, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to transmit to the Senate, House Joint Resolutions Nos. 649, 711, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768 and 769; for the signature of the Speaker.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

SIGNED

February 21, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Bill No. 1551.

SIGNED

February 21, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 760, 761 and 778.

SIGNED

February 22, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolution No. 569.

SIGNED

February 22, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Bills Nos. 15 and 1536.

SIGNED

February 23, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 544, 566, 567, 568, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590 and 591; and Senate Resolution No. 150.

SIGNED

February 23, 2018

The Speaker announced that he had signed the following: House Joint Resolutions Nos. 649, 711, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768 and 769.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 21, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Bill No. 1551, signed by the Speaker.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

February 23, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Joint Resolution No. 569, signed by the Speaker.

TAMMY LETZLER,
Chief Clerk

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REPORT OF DEPUTY CHIEF CLERK

February 21, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: Senate Joint Resolution No. 571, for his action.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,
Deputy Chief Clerk

REPORT OF DEPUTY CHIEF CLERK

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: Your Deputy Chief Clerk begs leave to report that we have transmitted to the Governor the following: Senate Bill No. 1551, for his action.

ALAN WHITTINGTON,
Deputy Chief Clerk

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

February 22, 2018

MR. SPEAKER: I am directed by the Governor to return herewith: Senate Bill Nos. 1469, 1481, 1493, 1517, 1522, 1524, 1525, 1526, 1527, 1535, 1536, 1539, 1540, 1541, 1542, 1543, 1544, 1545, 1546, 1547, 1550, 1554, 1556, 1559, 1562 and 1566; and Senate Joint Resolution No. 571, with his approval.

DWIGHT E. TARWATER,
Counsel to the Governor

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR
CONSENT CALENDAR # 1**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Thursday, February 22, 2018: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 596, 597 and 598; and House Joint Resolutions Nos. 764, 765, 766, 767, 768 and 769.

This the 20th day of February, 2018
ROBERTS, Chairperson

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR
CONSENT CALENDAR # 2**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Thursday, February 22, 2018: Senate Bills Nos. 1513, 1530, 1538, 1552, 1560, 1564, 1569, 1588, 1647, 1716, 1721, 1731, 1774, 1777, 1804 and 1870; Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 506, 520, 544, 562, 563 and 564; Senate Resolution No. 150; and House Joint Resolutions Nos. 649 and 711.

This the 20th day of February, 2018
ROBERTS, Chairperson

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 2018 -- 54TH LEGISLATIVE DAY

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Thursday, February 22, 2018: Senate Joint Resolution No. 494; and Senate Bills Nos. 123, 574, 1474, 1504, 1510, 1514, 1645, 1665, 2071, 2133, 2217, 2690 and 1905.

This the 20th day of February, 2018
ROBERTS, Chairperson

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR
CONSENT CALENDAR # 1**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Monday, February 26, 2018: Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 599, 600, 601, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609 and 610; and House Joint Resolutions Nos. 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777 and 791.

This the 23rd day of February, 2018
ROBERTS, Chairperson

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR
CONSENT CALENDAR # 2**

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Monday, February 26, 2018: Senate Bills Nos. 1563, 1565, 1568, 1570, 1742, 1757, 1775, 1802, 1810, 1862, 1925, 1942, 2012, 2015, 2079, 2118, 2157, 2209, 2243, 2253, 2370, 2471, 2505, 2521, 2523, 2530 and 2667; Senate Joint Resolutions Nos. 543 and 551; and Senate Resolutions Nos. 163, 165 and 167.

This the 23rd day of February, 2018
ROBERTS, Chairperson

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CALENDAR

MR. SPEAKER: Your Committee on Calendar begs leave to report that we have met and set the following bills on the calendar for Monday, February 26, 2018: Senate Bills Nos. 883, 949, 1487, 1495, 1515, 1553, 1624, 1646, 1662, 1694, 1793, 1796, 1800, 1805 and 1899.

This the 23rd day of February, 2018
ROBERTS, Chairperson

ADJOURNMENT

Senator Norris moved the Senate adjourn until 4:00 p.m., Monday, February 26, 2018, which motion prevailed.